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Attorney Docket Number	1991-174
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Application Number	/
Filing Date	March 16, 2001
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Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ROTARY INCUBATION STATION FOR IMMUNOASSAY SYSTEMS

the specification of which

(Title of the Invention)

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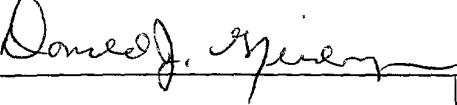
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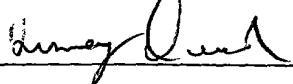
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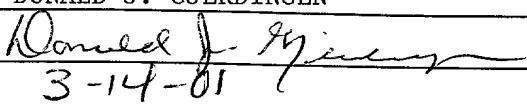
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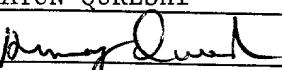
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